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APPLICATION ELEMENTS FOR: <i>GAS DIFFUSION ELECTRODE ASSEMBLY, BONDING METHOD FOR GAS DIFFUSION ELECTRODES, AND ELECTROLYZER COMPRISING GAS DIFFUSION ELECTRODES-</i>		ADDRESS TO: Commissioner for Patents MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		

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2. ☒ Specification Total Pages [61]

3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) Total Sheets [11]

4. ☐ Oath or Declaration Total Pages []
NOT attached; deferred under P.L. 97-247

 a. ☐ Newly executed (original)

 b. ☐ Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)
 (for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed).

 i. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s)
 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application,
 see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. ☐ Incorporation by reference (useable if box 4b is checked)
 The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

 a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy

 b. ☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)

 c. ☐ Statement Verifying identity of above copies

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8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED LIST.
 Please publish the assignee data with the application.

9. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) [] Power of Attorney

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10. ☐ English translation Document (if applicable)

11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement ☐ Copies of IDS Citations

12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment

13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

14. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed.

15. ☒ Claim for Convention Priority ☐ Certified copy of Priority Document is enclosed.

- a. Priority of Japanese Applications Nos. 2003-093992 and 2003-093993 filed on March 31, 2003 is claimed under 35 USC 119;
- b. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2003-145088, filed on May 22, 2003 is claimed under 35 USC 119; and
- c. Priority of Japanese Application No. 2003-154996, filed on May 30, 2003 is claimed under 35 USC 119.

16. ☐ Other

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

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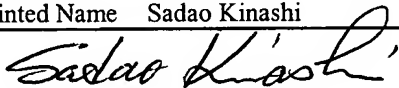
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